AGRICULTURAL APPROPRIATION BILL, FISCAL YEAR 1922.

January 19, 1921.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Anderson, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the following

REPORT.

[To accompany H. R. 15812.]

The Committee on Appropriations submits the following report in explanation of the accompanying bill making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1922:

ESTIMATES, FISCAL YEAR 1922.

The estimates upon which this bill is based are to be found as follows:

tional lands at headwaters of navigable streams. 10,000,000

Total estimates considered. 53,029, 384

APPROPRIATIONS, FISCAL YEAR 1921.

The total of appropriations made for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year 1921 in the agricultural appropriation act is \$31,712,784.

APPROPRIATIONS RECOMMENDED IN THIS BILL FOR 1922.

The total amount recommended to be appropriated in this bill for the service of the fiscal year 1922 is \$33,517,459, of which sum \$32,-517,459 is for the Department of Agriculture and \$1,000,000 is for the National Forest Reservation Commission for the acquisition of additional lands at headwaters of navigable streams.

The amount recommended in the bill (\$33,517,459), compared with the estimates for the fiscal year 1922 and the appropriations for the fiscal year 1921, shows the following differences:

It is \$19,511,925 less than the amount requested in the estimates; of this sum \$10,511,925 represents a reduction in the estimates submitted by the Department of Agriculture and \$9,000,000 represents a reduction in the estimate submitted by the National Forest Reservation Commission.

It is \$1,804,675 more than the appropriations for the fiscal year 1921; of this sum \$804,675 represents a net increase in the appropriations for the department, and \$1,000,000 is the amount recommended for the National Ferest Reservation Commission.

In considering the large increases in current appropriations estimated for by the Secretary of Agriculture it was impossible for the committee to lay down any general rule which could be applied to all the items of appropriation without exception or modification. It was in every case a matter of the committee's best judgment in the light of all the circumstances, taking into consideration, of course, the necessity of exercising the most rigid economy.

In general, in considering the statutory rolls of the several bureaus, it was not the policy of the committee to allow increases in salaries, but in some cases the committee did allow an additional number of persons in the higher grades, at the same time in these cases reducing the number of persons in the lower grades of the same class, thus effecting a reduction in the number of employees as well as a reduction in the amount appropriated for the given class of employment. In all of these cases the committee undertook to provide only for such grades as were authorized by law. It was the unanimous opinion of the bureau chiefs who appeared before the committee that this policy would result in a higher degree of efficiency.

In considering the lump-sum items of appropriation it was the policy of the committee not to allow increased appropriations representing only increased investigational or extension work of the same kind as was being carried on under the appropriation. It was the belief of the committee that the present financial condition of the Government did not justify increased activities along lines which presented no particular or unusual emergency. Notable exceptions to this rule are made in the case of an increase of \$500,000 in the appropriation for the eradication of tuberculosis, and an increase of \$100,000 in the appropriation for the control and eradication of hog cholera.

The committee did allow increases where increased appropriations were necessary for the maintenance or preservation of the Government's property, for the full use of existing facilities or personnel, where infestations or outbreaks of animal or plant diseases presented emergencies which necessitated increased appropriations, and in cases where new or increased appropriations seemed desirable in aid of establishing new industries or finding new uses for existing agricultural products.

As representative of the first class of cases, the committee allowed an increase of \$15,000 under the item for inspection and quarantine work in the Bureau of Animal Industry, for improvements and repairs to quarantine stations at Boston, New York, and Chicago,

and an increase of \$25,000 for the replacement of the worn-out boilers and steam-line conduits of the departmental power house.

The second class of cases is illustrated by a new item of \$100,000 for the quarantine and control of the Mexican bean beetle, which has established itself in Alabama, and an increase of \$150,000 in the appropriation for the eradication and control of the brown-tail and gypsy moths, new infestations of which have occurred in New Jersey and Pennsylvania.

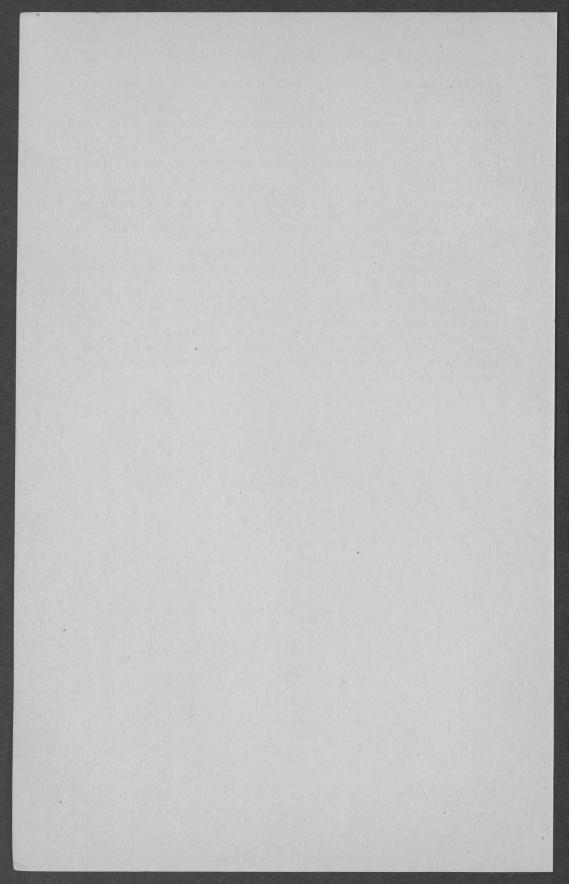
Illustrations of the last class are to be found in small increases in the appropriation for the development of sirup from sweet potatoes, and for the promotion and protection against disease and insects of the new date industry which has been established in California,

and offers possibilities in Arizona and Texas.

The committee has eliminated the item of \$239,416, carried in the current appropriation act for the purchase and distribution of veg-

etable and flower seeds.

The following comparative statement shows in detail the appropriations for the fiscal year 1921, the estimates for the fiscal year 1922, the amounts recommended in the accompanying bill for 1922, the increase or reduction in the amounts for the fiscal year 1921 as compared with the amounts recommended in the bill for 1922, and the increase or reduction of the amounts estimated for 1922 as compared with the amounts recommended in the bill.



AGRICULTURE APPROPRIATION BILL, 1922.

Comparative statement of the amounts appropriated for 1921, the estimates for 1922, and the amounts recommended in the accompanying bill for 1922.

Object.	Appropriation for 1921 in the Agriculture, deficiency, and other acts.	Estimates for 1922, regular annual and supplemental.	Amount recommended in bill for 1922.	Increase (+) or decrease (-), bill compared with 1921 appropriation.	Increase (+) or decrease (-), bill compared with 1922 estimates.
SECRETARY'S OFFICE.					
Salaries	\$465, 260.00	\$534, 030. 00	\$467, 560. 00	+\$2,300.00	-\$66, 470.00
OFFICE OF FARM MANAGEMENT AND FARM ECONOMICS.					
Salaries	75, 390. 00	92, 910. 00	89, 830. 00	+14,440.00	- 3, 080.00
General expenses	300, 000. 00	612, 080. 00	325, 000. 00	+25,000.00	-287, 080. 00
Total, Farm Management	375, 390. 00	704, 990. 00	414, 830. 00	+39, 440.00	-290, 160. 00
WEATHER BUREAU. SalariesGeneral expenses:	344, 450. 00	40∪, 290. 00	346, 580. 00	+ 2,130.00	- 53, 710. 00
Expenses in Washington	109, 250, 00	126, 910. 00	108, 410. 00	- 840.00	- 18, 500. 00
					- 3, 000. 00 - 3, 000. 00
Printing office, maintenance of	12, 800. 00	14, 450. 00	11, 450. 00	- 1,350.00	
Expenses outside of Washington	1, 303, 030. 00	1, 398, 610. 00	1, 300, 110. 00	- 2, 920. 00	- 98, 500. 00
Traveling expenses	26, 000. 00	33, 500. 00	30, 000. 00	+ 4,000.00	- 3, 500.00

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WEATHER BUREAU—continued.					
General expenses—Continued.					
Aerological investigations	\$81,020.00	\$281, 020. 00	\$81, 020. 00		- \$200,000.00
Highway weather service		20, 000, 00			- 20,000.00
Special stations in national forests		15,000.00			- 15, 000. 00
Marine meteorological work		30, 000. 00			- 30,000.00
Total, Weather Bureau	1, 876, 550. 00	2, 319, 780. 00	1, 877, 570. 09	+ \$1,020.00	- 442, 210.00
BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY. Salaries	667, 230. 00	666, 850.00	655, 050. 00	- 12, 180. 00	- 11,800.00
Inspection and quarantine work	519, 640. 00	605, 740. 00	534, 640. 00	+ 15,000.00	- 71, 100. 00
Tuberculosis investigation and eradication	1, 480, 440. 00	1, 978, 800. 00	1, 978, 800. 00	+498, 360. 00	
Tick eradication	681, 160. 00	701, 160. 00	660, 000. 00	- 21, 160.00	- 41, 160. 00
Dairy investigations.	325, 000. 00	498, 000. 00	375, 000. 00	+ 50,000.00	- 123, 000. 00

	Animal husbandry investigations	302, 820.00	462, 000.00	282, 820.00	- 20,000.00	-	179, 180.00
H	Animal disease, investigations	106, 400.00	147, 770.00	106, 400.00		_	41, 370.00
R-	Hog cholera eradication and investigations	410, 000.00	678, 925.00	510, 000. 00	+100,000.00	-	168, 925.00
-66-3	Dourine investigation and eradication	65, 200.00	63, 800.00	50,000.00	- 15, 200.00	-	13, 800.00
3-V	General administrative work	26, 686.00	41, 686.00	26, 686.00		-	15, 000.00
ol 1-	Construction of buildings at Beltsville, Md		30, 000. 00			_	30, 000.00
1	Meat inspection	892, 580.00	1, 200, 200.00	891, 180.00	- 1,400.00	_	309, 020. 00
-28	Total, Animal Industry	5, 477, 156.00	7, 674, 931.00	6, 070, 576. 00	+593, 420.00	-1,	004, 355.00
	BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY.						
Sa	laries	517, 300.00	511, 380.00	498, 500.00	- 18, 800.00	-	12, 880.00
Ge	neral expenses:						
	Plant disease investigations.	62, 020. 00	92, 020. 00	62, 020. 00		-	30,000.00
	Fruit disease investigations.	80, 935. 00	101, 135.00	80, 935. 00		-	20, 200. 00
	Citrus canker eradication.	109, 720.00	109, 720.00	79, 720.00	- 30,000.00		30,000.00
	Forest pathology investigations.	81, 115.00	81, 115. 00	81, 115.00			
	White-pine blister rust eradication	214, 168.00	214, 168. 00	100,000.00	-114, 168. 00	-	114, 168.00
	Cotton, truck, and forage-crop diseases, investiga- tion of	95, 400.00	125, 400.00	95, 400.00		-	30,000.00
	Crop physiology and breeding investigations	46, 860.00	66, 860.00	51, 860.00	+ 5,000.00	-	15,000.00
	Soil bacteriology investigations	39, 060. 00	74, 060. 00	50, 000. 00	+ 10,940.00	-	24, 060. 00
	Soil fertility investigations	45,060.00	60, 060.00	45, 060.00	.N	-	15,000.00

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BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY—continued.					
General expenses—Continued.	,				
Crop acclimatization investigations	\$101, 410.00	\$181, 410.00		+\$18,590.00	-\$61,410.00
Drug-plant investigations	39, 820.00	65, 820.00	39, 820.00		- 26,000.00
Crop technological investigations	24, 940.00	24, 940.00	24, 940.00		
Seed testing	41, 680.00	62, 380. 00	41, 680.00		- 20, 700.00
Cereal investigations	359, 705. 00	469, 900.00	359, 705. 00		-110, 195.00
Control of take-all, flag smut, and other cereal diseases	50, 000. 00	50,000.00	30,000.00	- 20,000.00	- 20,000.00
Tobacco investigations	32, 000.00	41,000.00	30, 000. 00	- 2,000.00	- 11,000.00
Alkali and drought resistant plant breading investigations	20, 080. 00	20, 080.00	20, 080. 00		
Sugar-plant investigations.	94, 115. 00	119, 115.00	94, 115. 00		- 25,000.00
Investigations in economic and systematic botany	22, 200. 00	32, 200.00	27, 200.00	+ 5,000.00	- 5,000.00
Dry-land agriculture investigations	159, 000.00	169, 000.00	159,000.00		- 10,000.00
Western irrigation agriculture investigations	52, 380.00	94, 420.00	70,000.00	+ 17,620.00	- 24, 420.00

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Nut investigations	20,000.00	30, 000. 00	20, 000. 00		- 10,000.00
Pomological investigations	83, 200. 00	110, 000. 00	83, 200. 00		- 26, 800. 00
Gardens and grounds, care, etc	11, 690. 00	20, 205. 00	20, 000. 00	+ 8,310.00	- 205.00
Horticultural investigations	71, 940. 00	101, 940. 00	71, 940. 00		- 30, 000. 00
Nursery stock investigations	20, 000. 00	30, 000. 00	20, 000. 00		- 10, 000. 00
Arlington experimental farm	20, 500. 00	30, 000. 00	20, 500. 00		- 9, 500. 00
Foreign seed and plant introduction	92, 700. 00	173, 800. 00	125, 000. 00	+ 32, 300. 00	- 48, 800. 00
Forage crop investigations		101, 400. 00	1 10 00 00		The search
New and rare seeds, purchase, propagation, and distribution	130, 000. 00	56, 600. 00	125, 000. 00	- 5,000.00	- 33, 000. 00
Biophysical investigations		32, 500. 00	32, 500. 00	+ 32, 500.00	
Investigation of purity and viability of vegetable seeds		25, 000. 00			- 25, 000. 00
General administrative expenses	25, 980. 00	25, 980. 00	25, 980. 00		
Purchase and distribution of valuable seeds	239, 416. 00			-239,416.00	
Total, Bureau of Plant Industry	3, 004, 394. 00	3, 503, 608. 00	2, 705, 270. 00	-299, 124. 00	-798, 338. 00
FOREST SERVICE. Salaries	2, 468, 380. 00	3, 398, 044. 00	2, 465, 020. 00	- 3, 360. 00	-933, 024. 00
General expenses:	Language Artificial		•		
Employment of forest supervisors, etc	125, 000. 00		175, 000. 00	+ 50,000.00	+175,000.00
National forests, maintenance, improvement, and protection	2, 100, 262. 00	2, 970, 292. 00	2, 237, 362. 00	+137, 100.00	—732, 930. 00

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FOREST SERVICE—continued.				23410.40	
General expenses—Continued.	• 10				
Fighting and preventing forest fires	\$300, 000. 00	\$400, 000. 00	\$300, 000. 00		- \$100,000.00
Insect control		25, 000. 00			- 25,000.00
Land classification and entry surveys	87, 000. 00	87, 000. 00	- 75, 000. 00	-\$12,000.00	- 12,000.00
Supplies and equipment	150, 000. 00	175, 000. 00	150, 000. 00		- 25, 000. 00
Forest products investigations	223, 260. 00	400, 000. 00	250, 000. 00	+ 26,740.00	- 150, 000. 00
Recreational resources, development of		50, 000. 00			- 50, 000. 00
Range investigations and experiments	35, 000. 00	70, 000. 00	35, 000. 00		- 35, 000. 00
Tree planting on national forests.	120, 640. 00	170, 640. 00	120, 640. 00		- 50, 00. 000
Silvicultural investigations.	50, 000. 00	155. 000. 00	50, 000. 00		- 105, 000. 00
Forests on farms, development and study of		25, 000. 00			- 25, 000. 0
Reconnaissance of forest resources	80, 000. 00	125, 000. 00	100, 000. 00	+ 20,000.00	- 25, 000. 00

Miscellaneous forest investigations	31, 280. 00	36, 960. 00	31, 280. 00		- 5, 680. 00
Improvements on national forests	400, 000. 00	500, 000. 00	400, 000. 00		- 100, 000. 00
Total, Forest Service	6, 170, 822. 00	8, 587, 936. 00	6, 389, 302, 00	+218, 480. 00	-2, 198, 634. 00
BUREAU OF CHEMISTRY.					
Salaries.	426, 190. 00	351, 090. 00	330, 690. 00	- 95, 500. 00	_ 20, 400. 00
General expenses:	*				
Investigations in agricultural chemistry	70, 400. 00	100, 400. 00	70, 400. 00		_ 30, 000. 00
Collaboration with other departments.	14, 000. 00	14, 000. 00	14, 000. 00		
Poultry, egg, and fish investigations	52, 880. 00	52, 880. 00		- 52, 880. 00	- 52, 880. 00
Color investigations	68, 260. 00	89, 960. 00	68, 260. 00		- 21, 700. 00
Sirup investigations	15, 000. 00	35, 000. 00	20, 000. 00	+ 5,000.00	- 15, 000. 00
Enforcement of food and drugs act	579, 361. 00	763, 401. 00	671, 401. 00	+ 92,040.00	- 92, 000. 00
Enforcement of tea importation act	40, 000. 00	36, 500. 00	38, 000. 00	- 2,000.00	+ 1,500.00
Naval stores investigations and demonstrations	10, 000. 00	10, 000. 00	10, 000. 00		
Insecticide and fungicide investigations	25, 000. 00	25, 000. 00	20, 000. 00	- 5,000.00	- 5,000.00
Dehydration investigations	23, 500. 00	100, 000. 00	23, 500. 00		- 76, 500. 00
Utilization of wool-scouring waste	9,000.00	9,000.00	9,000.00		

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BUREAU OF CHEMISTRY—continued.			· name and		
General expenses—Continued.	MIT THE THE	A STATE OF THE STA	22.6		7 (12.99)
Leather investigations		\$15,000.00			-\$15,000.00
Grain-dust explosions, prevention of		50, 000. 00			- 50, 000. 00
Vegetable fats and oils, investigation of		20, 000. 00			- 20,000.00
Sorghum investigations.		15, 000. 00			- 15,000.00
Total, Bureau of Chemistry	\$1, 333, 591. 00	1, 687, 231. 00	\$1, 275, 251. 00	-\$58, 340. 00	-411, 980. 00
BUREAU OF SOILS. Salaries	79, 240. 00	84, 340. 00	79, 240. 00		- 5, 100. 00
General expenses:					
Chemical investigations of soil	23, 110. 00	42, 540. 00	23, 110. 00		- 19, 430. 00
Physical investigations of soil	12, 225. 00	17, 225. 00	12, 225. 00		- 5,000.00
Investigation of fertilizer resources	36, 840. 00	36, 840. 00	86, 840. 00	+ 50,000.00	+ 50,000.00
Atmospheric nitrogen for fertilizer use, investigation of		35, 000. 00			- 35,000.06

Phosphoric acid investigations		35, 000. 00			- 35,000.00
Soil survey investigations	178, 900. 00	228, 900. 00	168, 200. 00	- 10,700.00	- 60, 700.00
Potash recovery from cement and blast furnaces, investigations		25, 000. 00			- 25,000.00
Classification of agricultural lands	15, 000. 00	15, 000. 00	15, 000. 00		
Kelp potash investigations	192, 900. 00	208, 500. 00	150, 000. 00	- 42, 900.00	- 58, 500.00
General administrative expenses.	4, 000. 00	4,000.00	4,000.00		
Total, Bureau of Soils	542, 215. 00	732, 345. 00	538, 615. 00	- 3,600.00	-193,730.00
BUREAU OF ENTOMOLOGY.					
Salaries.	132, 790. 00	136, 250. 00	129, 270. 00	- 3,520.00	- 6,980.00
General expenses:					
Deciduous fruit insect investigations	178, 500. 00	198, 500. 00	178, 500. 00		- 20,000.00
Cereal and forage insect investigations	145, 660. 00	165, 660. 00	150, 660. 00	+ 5,000.00	- 15,000.00
Southern field crop insect investigations	125, 000. 00	175, 000. 00	150. 000. 00	+ 25,000.00	- 25,000.00
Forest insect investigations	40, 000. 00	67, 500. 00	40, 000. 00		- 27,500.00
Truck crop insect investigations	,110, 000. 00	120, 000. 00	110,000.00		- 50,000.00
Stored-product insect investigations		40, 000. 00	}		- 30,000.00
Bee culture investigations.	33, 800. 00	38, 800. 00	33, 800. 00		- 5,000.00
Tropical and subtropical plant insect investigations.	51, 500. 00	66, 500. 00	51, 500.00		- 15,000.00
Miscellaneous insect investigations	52, 330. 00	84, 330. 00	52, 330. 00		- 32,000.00
General administrative expenses	3, 880. 00	3, 880. 00	3, 880. 00		,

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BUREAU OF ENTOMOLOGY—continued.					
General expenses—Continued.					
Moths, prevention of spread of	\$250,000.00	\$600,000.00	\$400,000.00	+\$150,000.00	-\$200,000.00
European corn borer, prevention of spread of	400, 000. 00	400, 000. 00	275, 000. 00	-125, 000. 00	- 125,000.00
Total, Bureau of Entomology	1, 523, 460. 00	2, 096, 420.00	1, 574, 940.00	+ 51,480.00	- 521, 480.00
BUREAU OF BIOLOGICAL SURVEY.					
Salaries.	67, 450. 00	94, 830. 00	81, 070. 00	+ 13,620.00	- 13, 760.00
General expenses:			-11		
Maintenance of mammal and bird reservations	39, 735. 00	45, 035. 00	39, 735.00		- 5, 300.00
Sullys Hill National Park, maintenance, etc	5, 000. 00	5, 000. 00	5, 000. 00		
Investigation of food habits of birds and mammals	456, 040. 00	600, 000. 00	452, 240. 00	- 3,800.00	- 147, 760.00
Biological investigations.	24, 400. 00	39, 400. 00	24, 400.00		- 15,000.00
Migratory bird treaty act, enforcement of	142, 500. 00	200, 000. 00	136, 120. 00	- 6, 380, 00	- 63, 880.00

Alaska wain door in westign tions	40, 000, 00	75, 000, 00	46, 500. 00	+ 6,500.00	- 28, 500. 00
Alaska reindeer investigations	40, 000.00	75,000.00	40, 500.00	+ 0, 500.00	- 28, 300.00
General administrative expenses	10, 760. 00	20, 000. 00	10, 760. 00		- 9, 240. 00
Total, Bureau of Biological Survey	785, 885. 00	1, 079, 265. 00	795, 825. 00	+ 9,940.00	- 283, 440. 00
DIVISION OF ACCOUNTS AND DISBURSEMENTS.					
Salaries	49, 820. 00	55, 020. 00	51, 220. 00	+ 2,400.00	_ 3,800.00
DIVISION OF PUBLICATIONS.					
Salaries.	242, 020. 00	300, 860. 00	252, 180. 00	+10, 160.00	- 48, 680.00
General expenses:					
Labor-saving machinery, etc	6, 000. 00	6, 000. 00	6, 000. 00		
Envelopes, stationery, etc	9, 000. 00	12, 000. 00	10,000.00	+ 1,000.00	- 2,000.00
Office furniture and fixtures	1, 320. 00	3, 000. 00	2,000.00	+ 680.00	- 1,000.00
Photographic equipment, etc	22, 000. 00	25, 000. 00	22, 000. 00		- 3, 000. 00
Telephone and telegraph service, etc	900.00	1, 200. 00	1, 200. 00	+ 300.00	
Wagons, motor trucks, bicycles, etc	1,000.00	2, 000. 00	1,000.00		- 1,000.00
Manuscripts, traveling expenses, etc	4, 350. 00	5, 000. 00	4, 350. 00		– 650. 00
Agricultural exhibits.	70, 000. 00	70, 000. 00	70;000.00		
Extra labor, etc., in the District of Columbia	17, 500. 00	17, 500. 00	11, 380. 00	- 6, 120. 00	- 6, 120. 00
Total, Division of Publications	374, 090. 00	442, 560. 00	380, 110. 00	+ 6,020.00	<u>- 62, 450. 00</u>
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BUREAU OF CROP ESTIMATES.					
Salaries.	\$130, 580.00			-\$130, 580. 00	
General expenses:					
Administrative expenses	20, 000. 00			- 20,000.00	
Field investigations.	168, 076. 00			- 168, 076. 00	
Total, Bureau of Crop Estimates	318, 656.00			- 318, 656. 00	
LIBRARY.					
Salaries	32, 480.00	\$35, 540.00	\$30, 060. 00	- 2,420.00	- \$5, 480. 00
General expenses.	22,000.00	42, 000. 00	21, 400. 00	- 600.00	- 20, 600. 00
Total, Library	54, 480. 00	77, 540.00	51, 460. 00	- 3,020.00	- 26, 080. 00
Miscellaneous expenses	136, 000.00	201, 000. 00	161, 000. 00	+ 25,000.00	- 40,000.00
Rent in the District of Columbia.	164, 666.00	164, 666.00	164, 666. 00		

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STATES RELATIONS SERVICE.					
Salaries	234, 880. 00	235, 400. 00	196, 320. 00	- 38, 560. 00	- 39, 080. 00
General expenses:					
Appropriations under Hatch Act	720, 000. 00	720, 000. 00	720,000.00		
Appropriations under Adams Act	720, 000. 00	720, 000. 00	720, 000. 00		
Administration of Hatch, Adams, and Smith-Lever	61, 500. 00	81, 500. 00	61, 500. 00		- 20,000.00
Farmers' cooperative demonstration work, North and West	715, 720. 00	715, 720. 00	715, 720. 00		
Farmers' cooperative demonstration work, South	634, 800. 00	634, 800. 00	634, 800. 00		
Cooperative agricultural extension work	1,500,000.00	1,500,000.00	1,500,000.00		
Farmers' institutes and agricultural schools	16, 360. 00	20, 600. 00	16, 360. 00		- 4, 240. 00
Insular experiment stations	210,000.00	310,000.00	210, 000. 00		-100,000.00
Home economics investigations	44, 300. 00	80,000.00	50,000.00	+ 5,700.00	- 30,000.00
General administrative expenses	12, 600. 00	20,000.00	12,600.00		- 7,400.00
Total, States Relations Service	4, 870, 160. 00	5, 038, 020. 00	4, 837, 300. 00	- 32, 860. 00	-200, 720.00
BUREAU OF PUBLIC ROADS.					
Salaries	117, 300. 00	120, 720.00	114, 460. 00	- 2,840.00	- 6, 260. 00
General expenses:					
Road management investigations	36, 200. 00	61, 200. 00	50, 000. 00	+ 13,800.00	- 11, 200. 00
Road building and maintenance investigations	102, 300. 00	77, 300. 00		- 25, 000. 00	

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BUREAU OF PUBLIC ROADS—continued.					10 x 20 x 10
General expenses—Continued.					
Road material investigations.	\$77, 020. 00	\$148, 200. 00		-\$77, 020. 00	- \$148, 200. 00
Maintenance of experimental roads	25, 000. 00	25, 000. 00	\$25,000.00		Ψ110, 200. 00
Irrigation investigations	62, 440. 00	105, 000. 00	62, 440. 00		- 42, 560. 00
Drainage investigations.	53, 760. 00	95, 000. 00	73, 760. 00	+ 20,000.00	- 21, 240. 00
Agricultural engineering investigations	25, 000. 00	100, 000. 00	25, 000. 00		- 75,000.00
Explosives, supervising distribution, etc		25, 000. 00	15, 000. 00	+ 15,000.00	- 10,000.00
General administrative expenses	16, 000. 00	16, 000. 00	16, 000. 00		
Laboratory building at Arlington farm		75, 000. 00	35, 000. 00	+ 35,000.00	- 40,000.00
Total, Bureau of Public Roads	515, 020. 00	848, 420. 00	493, 960. 00	- 21,060.00	- 354, 460, 00

BUREAU OF MARKETS AND CROP ESTIMATES. 1					
Salaries	710, 650. 00	937, 870. 00	838, 630. 00	+127, 980.00	- 99, 240. 00
General expenses:					and a special contraction
Marketing and distribution of farm products	300, 000. 00	300, 000. 00	326, 000. 00	+ 26,000.00	+ 26,000.00
Preservation of fruits and vegetables in transit and in storage		75, 000. 00			- 75, 000. 00
Market news service on live stock and meats	89, 320. 00		1 100 100 01		as ratingual
Market news service on fruits, vegetables, etc	314, 600. 00 .		390, 160. 00	- 13, 760. 00	- 359, 840. 00
Market information service		750, 000. 00			
Food supply investigations	45, 620. 00	40, 920. 00		- 45, 620.00	- 40, 920. 00
Food products inspection service	141, 700. 00	225, 000. 00	175, 000. 00	+ 33, 300.00	- 50, 000. 00
Cotton standardization investigations	40, 000. 00	38, 400. 00	38, 400. 00	- 1,600.00	
State cooperation in marketing work	70, 000. 00	70, 000. 00	70, 000. 00		
Grain standardization investigations	71, 150. 00	69, 950. 00	60, 000. 00	- 11, 150. 00	- 9, 950. 00
Foreign marketing investigations		100, 000. 00			- 100, 000. 00
Crop estimating work		590, 741. 00	250, 000. 00	+250,000.00	- 340, 741. 00
General administrative expenses	20, 635. 00	30, 000. 00	30, 000. 00	+ 9,365.00	
Cotton-futures act, enforcement of	142, 611. 00	142, 611. 00	138, 831. 00	- 3, 780. 00	- 3, 780. 00
Grain-standards act, enforcement of	538, 623. 00	728, 850. 00			- 190, 227. 00

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Warehouse act, administration of	\$35, 000. 00	\$100,000.00	\$65, 000. 00	+ \$30,000.00	- \$35, 000. 00
Standard container act, enforcement of	3, 800. 00	4, 800. 00	3, 800. 00		- 1,000.00
Wool section of War Industries Board, completion of work of	15, 000. 00	15, 000. 00	15, 000. 00		
Total, Bureau of Markets and Crop Estimates	2, 538, 709. 00	4, 219, 142. 00	2, 939, 444. 00	+ 400, 735.00	-1,279,698.00
ENFORCEMENT OF INSECTICIDE ACT.					
Salaries.	30, 350. 00	33, 770. 00	31, 510. 00	+ 1,160.00	- 2, 260. 00
General expenses	117, 000. 00	150, 000. 00	115, 400. 00	- 1,600.00	- 34, 600. 00
Total, enforcement of insecticide act	147, 350. 00	183, 770. 00	146, 910. 00	- 440.00	- 36, 860. 00
FEDERAL HORTICULTURAL BOARD. Salaries	33, 300. 00	57, 240. 00	46, 600. 00	+ 13, 300. 00	_ 10, 640. 00

General expenses:					
Enforcement of plant-quarantine act	125, 450. 00	163, 410. 00	113, 410. 00	- 12, 040. 00	- 50, 000. 00
Potato wart, extermination of	35, 300. 00	35, 300. 00	25, 300. 00	- 10,000.00	_ 10,000.00
Total, Federal Horticultural Board	194, 050. 00	255, 950. 00	185, 310. 00	- 8,740.00	- 70, 640. 00
MISCELLANEOUS.					
Reclamation projects, demonstrations on	30, 000. 00	48, 600. 00	30, 000. 00		- 18, 600. 00
Cooperative fire protection of forested watersheds of navigable streams.	125, 000. 00	1, 000, 000. 00	125, 000. 00		- 875, 000. 00
Acquisition of lands at headwaters of navigable streams		10, 000, 000. 00	1, 000, 000. 00	+1,000,000.00	-9, 000, 000. 00
Northern Pacific land-grant reconnaiseance		50, 000. 00	30, 000. 00	+ 30,000.00	- 20, 000. 00
Live-stock production in cane-sugar and cotton districts.	46, 500. 00	67, 500. 00	51, 500. 00	+ 5,000.00	– 16, 000. 00
Dairying and live-stock production in semiarid and irrigated districts.	40, 000. 00	50, 000. 00	40, 000. 00		_ 10,000.00
Peat and muck land investigations.		50, 000. 00			_ 50, 000. 00
Foot-and-mouth disease, eradication of	50, 000. 00	1, 000, 000. 00	50, 000. 00		- 950, 000. 00
Pink bollworm, eradication of	488, 560. 00	666, 660. 00	554, 840. 00	+ 66, 280. 00	- 111, 820.00
Parlatoria date scale, eradication of		15, 000. 00	15, 000. 00	+ 15,000.00	
Mexican bean beetle, eradication, etc		150, 000. 00	100, 000. 00	+ 100,000.00	- 50, 000. 00
Woodward, Okla., experiment station	10, 000. 00			- 10,000.00	
Rural Credits Committee	5, 000. 00			- 5,000.00	

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MISCELLANEOUS—continued.					
Vault for refrigerating plant, construction of		\$25, 000. 00			- \$25, 000. 00
Emergency control of unexpected insect outbreaks		100, 000. 00			- 100, 000. 00
Total, miscellaneous	\$795, 060, 00	13, 222, 760. 00	\$1,996,340.00	+\$1, 201, 280. 00	-11, 226, 420. 00
Grand total, Agriculture appropriation bill	31, 712, 784. 00	1 53, 029, 384. 00	33, 517, 459. 00	+ 1,804,675.00	-19, 511, 925. 00
SUMMA	ARY OF THE A	PPROPRIATION	NS.		
Secretary's Office	\$465, 260. 00	\$534, 030. 00	\$467, 560. 00	+ \$2,300.00	- \$66, 470. 00
Office of Farm Management	375, 390. 00	704, 990. 00	414, 830. 00	+ 39, 440. 00	- 290, 160. 00
Weather Bureau.	1, 876, 550. 00	2, 319, 780. 00	1, 877, 570. 00	+ 1,020.00	- 442, 210. 00
Bureau of Animal Industry	5, 477, 156. 00	7, 074, 931. 00	6, 070, 576. 00	+ 593, 420.00	- 1,004,355,00

3, 004, 394. 00

Bureau of Plant Industry.....

2, 705, 270. 00

299, 124. 00

-1,004,355.00

798, 338. 00

3, 503, 608. 00

Forest Service.	6, 170, 822. 00	8, 587, 936. 00	6, 389, 302. 00	+ 218, 480.00	- 2, 198, 634. 00
Bureau of Chemistry	1, 333, 591. 00	1, 687, 231. 00	1, 275, 251. 00	- 58, 340. 00	- 411, 980. 00
Bureau of Soils.	542, 216. 00	732, 345. 00	538, 615. 00	- 3, 600. 00	— 193, 730. 00
Bureau of Entomology.	1, 523, 460. 00	2, 096, 420. 00	1, 574, 940. 00	+ 51, 480.00	- 521, 480. 00
Bureau of Biological Survey	785, 885. 00	1, 079, 265. 00	795, 825. 00	+ 9,940.00	- 283, 440. 00
Division of Accounts and Disbursements	49, 820. 00	55, 020. 00	51, 220. 00	+ 1,400.00	- 3,800.00
Division of Publications.	374, 090. 00	442, 560. 00	380, 110. 00	+ 6,020.00	- 62, 450. 00
Bureau of Crop Estimates 1.	318, 656. 00			- 318, 656. 00	
Library	54, 480. 00	77, 540. 00	51, 460.00	- 3, 020. 00	- 26, 080. 00
Miscellaneous expenses.	136, 000. 00	201, 000. 00	161, 000. 00	+ 25,000.00	- 40, 000. 00
Rent in the District of Columbia	164, 666. 00	164, 666. 00	164, 666. 00		
States Relations Service.	4, 870, 160. 00	5, 038, 020. 00	4, 837, 300. 00	- 32, 860.00	- 200, 720. 00
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